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Examiner's Initial	Document Number	Issue Date	Name	Class	Subclass
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	2.889.807	06.09.59	Beebe		
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**Non-United States Patent Documents**

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